

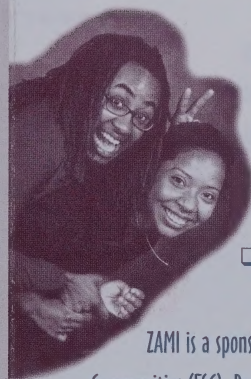


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ZAMI Mission Statement

ZAMI's primary mission is to empower and affirm the lives of lesbians of African descent through providing scholarship funds, leadership development, support/discussion groups, social activities, outreach and education.



ZAMI Donation Request

- ☐ Yes, I want to support ZAMI with my gift of:
- ☐ \$25 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$100
- ☐ Other _____

ZAMI is a sponsored project of the Fund for Southern Communities (FSC). Donations should be made payable to FSC and designated for the Audre Lorde Scholarship Fund:

Please mail your checks to:

ZAMI, Inc.

P.O. Box 2502

Decatur, GA 30031

ZAMI's wish list:

- Computers • Fax Machines
- Scanner • Copy Machine
- Stamps • Televisions
- CD Players

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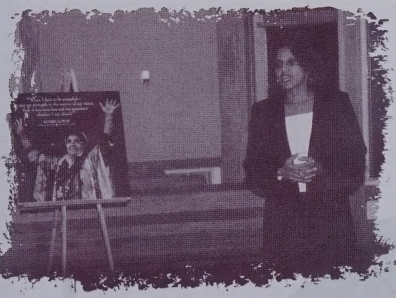


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A carriacou word meaning women who work together as friends and lovers.

Atlanta's Premiere
Organization for Lesbians of
African Descent





ZAMI's Herstory ▼▼▼▼▼

In October 1989, a Women of Color Caucus (WOCC) was created by lesbian members of the African-American Lesbian and Gay Alliance (AALGA) to focus on their political, social, economic, and personal needs. In June 1990, WOCC members voted to secede from AALGA in order to become an autonomous entity.

Ever evolving, these women renamed themselves, ZAMI. The name ZAMI also honors the late Audre Lorde, a Black lesbian feminist poet who was poet laureate for New York state and who wrote the biomythography ZAMI: A New Spelling of My Name.

The Audre Lorde Scholarship Fund ▼▼▼▼▼

The Audre Lorde Scholarship Awards are designed to recognize out* lesbians of African descent who are making significant contributions to their communities. ZAMI wants to support and encourage their continuing education by providing scholarships to those women enrolled in accredited technical, undergraduate and graduate programs located in the following states: Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana, South Carolina, North Carolina, Tennessee, Alabama, Arkansas, Texas, Virginia and Kentucky.



Forums, Cultural Events and Social Activities ▼▼▼▼▼

- ▼ An opportunity to meet and greet local and national Black lesbians in a safe supportive space.
- ▼ Education and Advocacy.
- ▼ The chance to share and learn valuable information about issues that impact our lives as African American lesbians.

ZAMI Offers Support Groups ▼▼▼▼▼

1st Sunday

Coming Out Support Group for all ages

2nd Sunday

Outlook: Support / Discussion group for Sistas 20 - 39 years of age

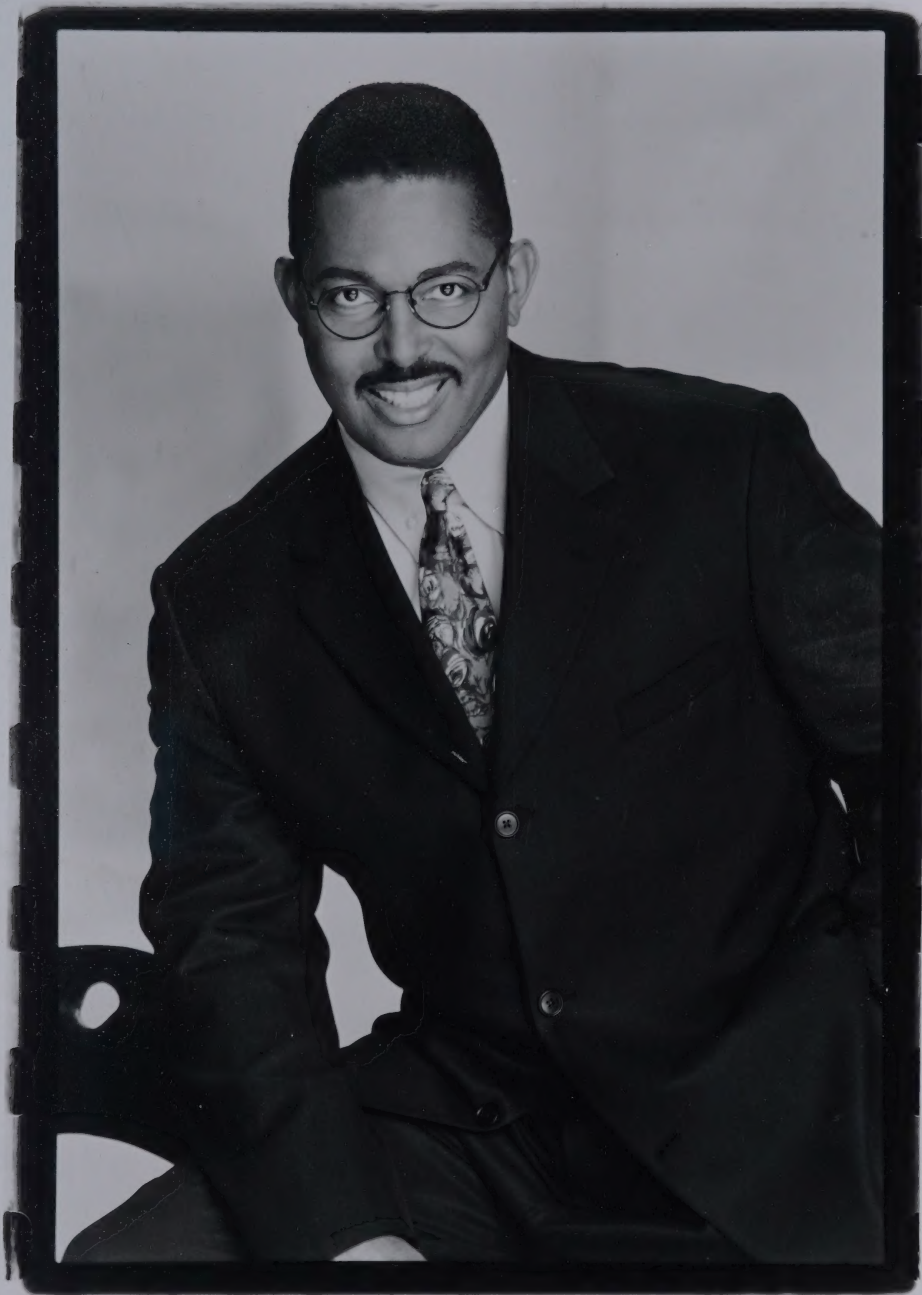
3rd Sunday

SAGE: Sistas Aging Gracefully Everywhere—for Wimmin 40 and older

4th Sunday

Black Lesbians with Children—Wimmin of all ages welcome



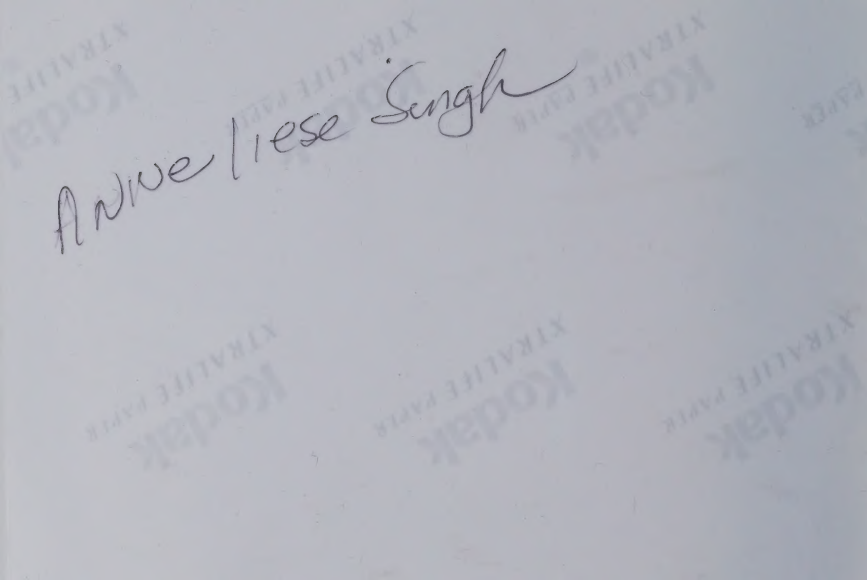


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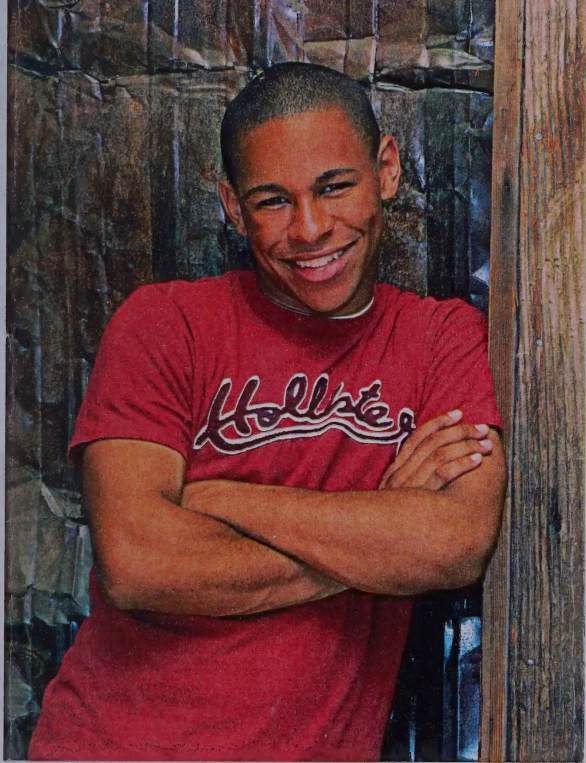








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